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VETERINARY USES THEREOF Attorney Docket: RIB0201NPA

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a 3 month extension of response time for filing the enclosed response.

The proposed response to be made upon extension of time is to submit the attached Amendment.

Applicant is a small entity; a statement of small entity status has already been filed in this application. Therefore the fees should be reduced accordingly.

A check in the amount of \$1050 is enclosed. Authorization to charge our deposit account is also enclosed.

Favorable action is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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